

**Minutes of Regular Meeting**  
Of the  
**Fordoche Town Council**  
**May 10, 2016**  
**6:30 p.m.**

**Fordoche Town Hall- 5390 Fordoche Road, Fordoche, Louisiana, 70732**

**Call to order**

Meeting called to order at 6:32 p.m. by Mayor Teddy P. Gros

**Pledge of Allegiance**

Pledge of Allegiance led by Mayor Gros

**Roll call**

Present: Robin Cashio, Callie Meche, Don Sonnier, Karen Kimble, Lonnie Kimble

Absent: None

**Adopt Minutes**

Motion by Callie Meche, seconded by Karen Kimble

**Resolved**, Minutes April 12, 2016, meeting approved.

**Review and approval of invoices and financial statements**

Motion by Lonnie Kimble, seconded by Don Sonnier

**Resolved**, invoices and financial statements of previous month reviewed and approved.

**Public Comment**

Mr. Joe Lindley addressed the council regarding mosquito spraying. We are paying more now and getting sprayed less. What can the town do to improve this service? The Mayor advised that he would contact the Police Jury and inquire.

His other concern is that the older people in town do not see the police unit during the day and they feel unprotected. Also, there are more accidents because people are speeding. Chief Torres told Mr. Lindley that he personally patrols throughout the town in the mornings and some evenings. He also told Mr. Lindley that he always answers his phone and responds when someone calls with a problem.

**Mayor Gros**

The project on the water well control house/electrical house will begin in July. We will also be cleaning the water tanks during this time.

**Departmental Reports**

All departments gave a brief update.

**New Business**

Introduction of Ordinance 05-2010 amendment  
To amend Section 3 of the Code of Ordinance (05-2010) providing for Water Rates and Related Matters for the Town of Fordoche  
Motion by Don Sonnier, seconded by Robin Cashio  
Resolved, introduction to amend Ordinance 05-2010  
Resolved further, public hearing for said Ordinance is set for June 14, 2016, at 6:30 p.m.

All documents have been updated for the LAMP accounts.

LMA Convention is in July, 2016. Council is invited to attend.

2016 is Tax Reassessment Year. There will be a public hearing on September 13, 2016, to discuss rolling our Millage Rates forward.

**Resolution – To authorize Mayor Gros to sign any and all documents necessary for the 2015-2016 CWF Grant Application.**

Motion by Callie Meche, seconded by Robin Cashio  
Resolved, Mayor Gros is authorized to sign any and all documents necessary for the 2015-2016 CWF Grant Application  
Motion carried unanimously

**Adjournment**

Motion by Don Sonnier, seconded by Lonnie Kimble  
**Resolved**, to adjourn the meeting at 7:29 pm

**By our signatures, we hereby attest a true and approved minutes of the Fordoche Town Council.**

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**Teddy Gros, Mayor**

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**Lisa Cormier, Clerk**